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June 4, 2009

In re the Application of

Takanori SHIMIZU et al. .

Group Art Unit: 1625

Application No.: 10/524,686

Examiner:

T. SOLOLA

Filed: April 19, 2005

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For:

PROCESS FOR PRODUCING AMINOBENZOPYRAN COMPOUND

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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